# Executive Summary – Enforcement Matter – Case No. 58112 PERMIAN LODGING MIDLAND LLC RN107150658 Docket No. 2019-1122-PWS-E

**Order Type:** 

Findings Agreed Order

**Findings Order Justification:** 

Three or more enforcement actions (NOVs, orders, etc.) over the prior five year period for the same violation(s).

Media:

**PWS** 

**Small Business:** 

Yes

Location(s) Where Violation(s) Occurred:

Permian Lodging, 2801 South County Road 1180 near Midland, Midland County

Type of Operation:

Public water supply **Other Significant Matters:** 

Additional Pending Enforcement Actions: No

Past-Due Penalties: No

Other: N/A

Interested Third-Parties: None

Texas Register Publication Date: January 10, 2020

Comments Received: No

**Penalty Information** 

Total Penalty Assessed: \$172

Total Paid to General Revenue: \$172
Total Due to General Revenue: \$0

Payment Plan: N/A

**Compliance History Classifications:** 

Person/CN - Unclassified Site/RN - Unclassified

Major Source: No

Statutory Limit Adjustment: N/A Applicable Penalty Policy: April 2014

**Investigation Information** 

Complaint Date(s): N/A

**Complaint Information**: N/A

Date(s) of Investigation: July 25, 2019 and July 29, 2019

Date(s) of NOE(s): August 2, 2019

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# Violation Information

- 1. Failed to submit well completion data for review and approval prior to placing the Facility's three public drinking water wells into service [30 Tex. Admin. Code § 290.41(c)(3)(A)].
- 2. Failed to pay annual Public Health Service fees and/or associated late fees [30 Tex. ADMIN. CODE § 290.51(a)(6) and Tex. WATER CODE § 5.702].

# Corrective Actions/Technical Requirements

# **Corrective Action(s) Completed:**

N/A

# **Technical Requirements:**

The Order will require the Respondent to:

- a. Within 30 days, submit payment for all outstanding fees, interest, and penalties for TCEQ Financial Administration Account No. 91650147;
- b. Within 180 days, submit well completion data for review and approval for the Facility's three wells;
- c. Within 195 days, submit written certification to demonstrate compliance with b.;
- d. Within 270 days, obtain approval of the well completion data for the Facility's three wells; and
- e. Within 285 days, submit written certification to demonstrate compliance with d.

# Contact Information

TCEQ Attorney: N/A

**TCEQ Enforcement Coordinator:** Ryan Byer, Enforcement Division, Enforcement Team 8, MC 219, (512) 239-2571; Michael Parrish, Enforcement Division, MC 219, (512) 239-2548

Respondent: Ralph McIngvale, Manager, PERMIAN LODGING MIDLAND LLC,

19101 Oil Center Boulevard, Houston, Texas 77073

Respondent's Attorney: N/A

#### Penalty Calculation Worksheet (PCW) PCW Revision March 26, 2014 Policy Revision 4 (April 2014) 29-Jul-2019 Assigned PCW 30-Jul-2019 Screening 29-Jul-2019 EPA Due RESPONDENT/FACILITY INFORMATION Respondent PERMIAN LODGING MIDLAND LLC Reg. Ent. Ref. No. RN107150658 Major/Minor Source Minor Facility/Site Region 7-Midland CASE INFORMATION Enf./Case ID No. 58112 No. of Violations 2 Order Type Findings Docket No. 2019-1122-PWS-E Government/Non-Profit No Media Program(s) Public Water Supply Enf. Coordinator Ryan Byer Multi-Media EC's Team Enforcement Team 8 Admin. Penalty \$ Limit Minimum Maximum \$1,000 Penalty Calculation Section \$150 **TOTAL BASE PENALTY (Sum of violation base penalties)** Subtotal 1 ADJUSTMENTS (+/-) TO SUBTOTAL 1 Subtotals 2-7 are obtained by multiplying the Total Base Penalty (Subtotal 1) by the indicated percentage. \$22 **Compliance History** 15.0% Adjustment Subtotals 2, 3, & 7 Notes Enhancement for three NOVs with the same/similar violations. \$0 Subtotal 4 Culpability No 0.0% Enhancement The Respondent does not meet the culpability criteria. Notes **Good Faith Effort to Comply Total Adjustments** Subtotal 5 \$0 Subtotal 6 \$0 **Economic Benefit** 0.0% Enhancement\* \*Capped at the Total EB \$ Amount Total EB Amounts Estimated Cost of Compliance **SUM OF SUBTOTALS 1-7** \$172 Final Subtotal OTHER FACTORS AS JUSTICE MAY REQUIRE 0.0% \$0 Adjustment Reduces or enhances the Final Subtotal by the indicated percentage. Notes

STATUTORY LIMIT ADJUSTMENT

Notes

**PAYABLE PENALTY** 

Reduces the Final Assessed Penalty by the indicated percentage.

**DEFERRAL** 

Final Penalty Amount

Final Assessed Penalty

Adiustment

Reduction

0.0%

No deferral is recommended for Findings Orders.

\$172

\$172

\$172

\$0

Policy Revision 4 (April 2014)

PCW Revision March 26, 2014

Screening Date 29-Jul-2019

**Docket No.** 2019-1122-PWS-E

Respondent PERMIAN LODGING MIDLAND LLC

Case ID No. 58112

Reg. Ent. Reference No. RN107150658

Media Public Water Supply

Enf. Coordinator Ryan Byer

Component	tory Site Enhancement (Subtotal 2) Number of	Number	Adjust.
Written notices of violation ("NOVs") with same or similar violati the current enforcement action (number of NOVs meeting criteria)		3	15%
	Other written NOVs	0	0%
	Any agreed final enforcement orders containing a denial of liability (number of orders meeting criteria)	0	0%
Orders	Any adjudicated final enforcement orders, agreed final enforcement orders without a denial of liability, or default orders of this state or the federal government, or any final prohibitory emergency orders issued by the commission	0	0%
Judgments and Consent	Any non-adjudicated final court judgments or consent decrees containing a denial of liability of this state or the federal government (number of judgments or consent decrees meeting criteria)	0	0%
Decrees	final court judgments and default judgments, or non-adjudicated final court judgments or consent decrees without a denial of liability, of this state or the federal government	0	0%
Convictions	Any criminal convictions of this state or the federal government (number of counts)	0	0%
Emissions	Chronic excessive emissions events (number of events)	0	0%
Audits	Letters notifying the executive director of an intended audit conducted under the Texas Environmental, Health, and Safety Audit Privilege Act, 74th Legislature, 1995 (number of audits for which notices were submitted)	0	0%
Addits	Disclosures of violations under the Texas Environmental, Health, and Safety Audit Privilege Act, 74th Legislature, 1995 (number of audits for which violations were disclosed)	0	0%
	Environmental management systems in place for one year or more	No	0%
Other	Voluntary on-site compliance assessments conducted by the executive director under a special assistance program	No	0%
Other	Participation in a voluntary pollution reduction program	No	0%
	Early compliance with, or offer of a product that meets future state or federal government environmental requirements	No	0%
	Adjustment Pero	entage (Su	btotal 2)
epeat Violator	(Subtotal 3)		
No	Adjustment Perc	entage (Su	btotal 3)
ompliance His	tory Person Classification (Subtotal 7)		
Unclass	sified Adjustment Perc	entage (Su	btotal 7)
ompliance His	tory Summary		
Compliance	Enhancement for three NOVs with the same/similar violations.		1

Reg.	Case ID No. Ent. Reference No.	PERMIAN LODGING MIDL 58112 RN107150658		<b>t No.</b> 2019-1122-PWS-E	PCW Policy Revision 4 (April 2014) PCW Revision March 26, 2014
	Media Enf. Coordinator	Public Water Supply Ryan Byer			
	Violation Number				
	Rule Cite(s)	30	Tex. Admin. Code §	290.41(c)(3)(A)	
	Violation Description	Facility's three public dr October 5, 2015, and Ap unable to approve the we	inking water wells in oril 10, 2019 informe ells and requested ad	iew and approval prior to placing to service. Specifically, letters da d the Respondent that the TCEQ ditional documentation for reviev entation was received.	ited was
				Base Per	nalty \$1,000
>> Env	vironmental, Prope	ty and Human Heal	th Matrix		
	Release	Harm Major Moderat	e Minor		
OR	Actual Potential			Percent 0.0%	
>>Pro	grammatic Matrix				
	Falsification	Major Moderat x	e Minor	Percent 5.0%	
	Matrix Notes	100% of the r	ule requirements we	re not met.	
				Adjustment	\$950
					\$50
Violatio	on Events				
	Number of \	/iolation Events 3		4 Number of violation days	
		daily			
		weekly monthly			
		quarterly		Violation Base Per	salty \$150
		semiannual annual	-		
		single event x			
		Three single events		one for each well	
		Three single events	are recommended, c	one for each well.	
Good F	aith Efforts to Com		CONTRACTOR	Redu	ction \$0
		Before NOE/N Extraordinary	OV NOE/NOV to EDPRP,	Settlement Offer	
		Ordinary			
		N/A  <u> </u>			
		Notes The Respo	ndent does not mee this viola	t the good faith criteria for tion.	
				Violation Sub	sotal \$150
Econon	nic Benefit (EB) for	this violation		Statutory Limit Tes	t
	Estimate	ed EB Amount	\$522	Violation Final Penalty 1	otal \$173
		This v	iolation Final Asse	ssed Penalty (adjusted for lin	nits) \$173

# **Economic Benefit Worksheet**

Respondent PERMIAN LODGING MIDLAND LLC **Case ID No.** 58112 Reg. Ent. Reference No. RN107150658 Media Public Water Supply Years of **Percent Interest** Depreciation Violation No. 1 15 Item Cost Date Required Final Date Yrs Interest Saved **Costs Saved EB Amount Item Description Delayed Costs** Equipment 0.00 \$0 \$0 \$0 Buildings 0.00 \$0 \$0 \$0 Other (as needed) 0.00 \$0 \$0 \$0 Engineering/Construction 0.00 \$0 \$0 \$0 Land 0.00 \$0 \$0 n/a Record Keeping System 0.00 \$0 \$0 n/a Training/Sampling 0.00 \$0 n/a \$0 Remediation/Disposal 0.00 \$0 \$0 n/a **Permit Costs** 0.00 \$0 n/a \$0 \$522 Other (as needed) The delayed cost includes the estimated amount to compile well completion data and submit it for approval for the Facility's three wells (\$1,500 per well), calculated from the date of the investigation initially Notes for DELAYED costs documenting the violation to the estimated date of compliance. ANNUALIZE avoided costs before entering item (except for one-time avoided costs) **Avoided Costs** Disposal 0.00 \$0 \$0 \$0 Personnel 0.00 \$0 \$0 \$0 Inspection/Reporting/Sampling 0.00 \$0 \$0 \$0 Supplies/Equipment 0.00 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0 Financial Assurance 0.00 \$0 \$0 ONE-TIME avoided costs 0.00 \$0 \$0 \$0 0.00 Other (as needed) \$0 \$0 \$0 Notes for AVOIDED costs Approx. Cost of Compliance \$4,500 TOTAL \$522

Case ID No	t PERMIAN LODGING MIDLAND LLC 58112	Docket No. 2019-1122-PWS-E	PCW Policy Revision 4 (April 2014) PCW Revision March 26, 2014
Reg. Ent. Reference No Media Enf. Coordinato Violation Numbe	a Public Water Supply r_Ryan Byer		
Rule Cite(s		0.51(a)(6) and Tex. Water Code § 5.702	
Violation Descriptio		Service fees and/or associated late fees for count No. 91650147 for Fiscal Year 2019.	TCEQ
		Base Pe	nalty \$1,000
	erty and Human Health Matr Harm		
OR Releas Potentia		Percent 0.0%	
>>Programmatic Matrix Falsification	Major Moderate Mir		
Faisification	Major Moderate Mir	Percent 0.0%	
Matrix Notes			
		Adjustment \$	1,000
		Principal and Asia Asia Asia Asia Asia Asia Asia Asia	\$0
Violation Events			
Number of	Violation Events	Number of violation days	
	daily	*	
	monthly quarterly	Violation Base Pe	nalty \$0
	semiannual annual single event		
All penaltie	s and interest will be determined by t billing o	he Financial Administration Division at the n cycle.	ext
Good Faith Efforts to Con	nply 0.0%	Redu	ction \$0
	Extraordinary	OV to EDPRP/Settlement Offer	
	Ordinary N/A		
	Notes		
		Violation Sub	total \$0
Economic Benefit (EB) fo	r this violation	Statutory Limit Tes	t
Estima	ted EB Amount	\$0 Violation Final Penalty	Total \$0
	This violation	Final Assessed Penalty (adjusted for lin	nits) \$0

	E	conomic	Benefit	Wo	rksheet		
Respondent	PERMIAN LOD	GING MIDLAND LL	.C				
Case ID No.	58112						
Reg. Ent. Reference No.							
	Public Water S					2000 - Marion - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 1	Years of
Violation No.		паррту				Percent Interest	Depreciation
Violation No.	<b>2</b>						
						5.0	15
	Item Cost	<b>Date Required</b>	Final Date	Yrs	Interest Saved	Costs Saved	EB Amount
Item Description							
Delayed Costs							
Equipment				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Buildings				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other (as needed)				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Engineering/Construction				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Land				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0
Record Keeping System				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0
Training/Sampling				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0
Remediation/Disposal				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0
Permit Costs				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0
Other (as needed)				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0
Notes for DELAYED costs				N/	A		
Avoided Costs	ANNUA	LIZE avoided co	sts before e	ntering	item (except for	one-time avoide	d costs)
Disposal				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Personnel				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Inspection/Reporting/Sampling				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Supplies/Equipment				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Financial Assurance				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
ONE-TIME avoided costs				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other (as needed)				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Notes for AVOIDED costs				N/	A		
Approx. Cost of Compliance		\$0			TOTAL		\$0



# Compliance History Report

Compliance History Report for CN604538249, RN107150658, Rating Year 2018 which includes Compliance History (CH) components from September 1, 2013, through August 31, 2018.

Cu	stomer, Respondent, or vner/Operator:	-CN604538249, PERMIAN LODG	GING MIDLAND Clas	sification: U	NCLASSIFIED	Rating:	
	gulated Entity:	RN107150658, PERMIAN LODG	GING Clas	sification: U	NCLASSIFIED	Rating:	
Со	mplexity Points:	3	Repe	at Violator:	NO		
СН	l Group:	14 - Other			-		
LO	cation:	2801 SOUTH COUNTY ROAD 1	180 NEAR MIDLAND,	MIDLAND COUNT	ΓΥ, TEXAS		
ГС	EQ Region:	REGION 07 - MIDLAND					
D W	Number(s): ATER QUALITY NON PERMI 7107150658	TTED ID NUMBER	PUBLIC WAT	TER SYSTEM/SU	UPPLY REGISTR	ATION 1650147	7
Со	mpliance History Period	: September 01, 2013 to Au	ugust 31, 2018	Rating Year:	2018 <b>R</b>	ating Date:	09/01/2018
Da	te Compliance History F	Report Prepared: July	29, 2019	•			
	ency Decision Requiring		Enforcement	<del></del>			
Co	mponent Period Selecte	ed: July 29, 2014 to July 2	29, 2019				
гс	EQ Staff Member to Con	ntact for Additional Inform	mation Regarding	This Complia	ance History.		
	Name: Ryan Byer			Phone: (5	512) 239-2571		
					:0		
Sit	te and Owner/Operat	or History			,		
					NI		
•		and/or operation for the full fivence in ownership/operator of the	- In a second control of		. NO		
-) '	rias tricre been a (known) end	inge in ownership, operator or a	ne site during the con	ipilance period:		3	
Co	mponents (Multimed	ia) for the Site Are Lis	ted in Sections	A - J			
۹.	Final Orders, court jud	Igments, and consent dec	crees:				
3.	Criminal convictions:						
С.	Chronic excessive emi	ssions events:					
Э.	The approval dates of N/A	investigations (CCEDS In	ıv. Track. No.):		¥.		
Ξ.	A notice of violation represe	ations (NOV) (CCEDS Inv nts a written allegation of a vio is not a final enforcement actio	lation of a specific reg			mmission to a re	egulated
		31/2018 (1500071)					
	Section Control Contro	NO	Cla	ssification: I	Major		
	Citation:	30 TAC Chapter 290, SubCha 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubCha	ppter D 290.39(e)(5) ppter D 290.39(h) ppter D 290.41(c)(1)(Fi ppter D 290.41(c)(3)(A	4)			

5A THSC Chapter 341, SubChapter A 341.035(a)

Description:

Failure to obtain approval for plans and specifications and/or approval to use a well for a

transient non-community groundwater system in accordance with 30 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 290.41(c)(3)(A), 290.41(c)(3)(G), 290.41(c)(1)(F), 290.39(e)(4), 290.39(e)(5), 290.39(h) and Texas Health & Safety Code § 341.035(a).

Classification:

Classification:

Major

Major

2

Date:

Citation:

11/12/2018 (1524314)

Self Report?

NO

Report? NC

30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.39(e)(4) 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.39(e)(5)

30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.39(e)(5)
30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.39(h)
30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.41(c)(1)(F)
30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.41(c)(3)(A)
30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.41(c)(3)(G)
5A THSC Chapter 341, SubChapter A 341.035(a)

Description:

Failure to obtain approval for plans and specifications and/or approval to use a well for a

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Date:

Citation:

03/05/2019

(1550302)

Self Report? NO

30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.39(e)(4) 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.39(e)(5)

30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.39(h) 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.41(c)(1)(F) 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.41(c)(3)(A)

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#### F. Environmental audits:

N/A

#### G. Type of environmental management systems (EMSs):

N/A

## H. Voluntary on-site compliance assessment dates:

N/A

#### I. Participation in a voluntary pollution reduction program:

N/A

### J. Early compliance:

N/A

#### **Sites Outside of Texas:**

N/A

## **Component Appendices**

## Appendix A

## All NOVs Issued During Component Period 7/29/2014 and 7/29/2019

1\* (1500071)Date: 08/31/2018 Self Report? NO For Informational Pclassifications Only of TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.39(e)(4) Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.39(e)(5) 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.39(h) 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.41(c)(1)(F) 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.41(c)(3)(A) 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.41(c)(3)(G) 5A THSC Chapter 341, SubChapter A 341.035(a) Failure to obtain approval for plans and specifications and/or approval to use a well for a Description: transient non-community groundwater system in accordance with 30 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 290.41(c)(3)(A), 290.41(c)(3)(G), 290.41(c)(1)(F) 290.39(e)(4), 290.39(e)(5), 290.39(h) and Texas Health & Safety Code § 341.035(a). 2 Date: 11/12/2018 (1524314)For Informational Pclassifications Only of TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.39(e)(4) Self Report? NO Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.39(e)(5) 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.39(h) 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.41(c)(1)(F) 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.41(c)(3)(A) 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.41(c)(3)(G) 5A THSC Chapter 341, SubChapter A 341.035(a) Description: Failure to obtain approval for plans and specifications and/or approval to use a well for a transient non-community groundwater system in accordance with 30 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 290.41(c)(3)(A), 290.41(c)(3)(G), 290.41(c)(1)(F) 290.39(e)(4), 290.39(e)(5), 290.39(h) and Texas Health & Safety Code § 341.035(a). 3 Date: 03/05/2019 (1550302)For Informational Pclassifications Only of TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.39(e)(4) Self Report? NO Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.39(e)(5) 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.39(h) 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.41(c)(1)(F) 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.41(c)(3)(A) 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter D 290.41(c)(3)(G) 5A THSC Chapter 341, SubChapter A 341.035(a) Description: Failure to obtain approval for plans and specifications and/or approval to use a well for a transient non-community groundwater system in accordance with 30 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 290.41(c)(3)(A), 290.41(c)(3)(G), 290.41(c)(1)(F)

#### Appendix B

## All Investigations Conducted During Component Period July 29, 2014 and July 29, 2019

Item 1	August 29, 2018**	For (1) mational Purposes Only
Item 2		For 1777 mational Purposes Only
Item 3	February 27, 2019	For (1) mational Purposes Only
Item 4	July 26, 2019	For 1581600 mational Purposes Only

<sup>\*</sup> No violations documented during this investigation

290.39(e)(4), 290.39(e)(5), 290.39(h) and Texas Health & Safety Code § 341.035(a).

<sup>\*</sup> NOVs applicable for the Compliance History rating period 9/1/2013 to 8/31/2018

<sup>\*\*</sup>Investigation applicable for the Compliance History Rating period between 09/01/2013 and 08/31/2018.

# TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY



IN THE MATTER OF AN	§	BEFORE THE
ENFORCEMENT ACTION	§	
CONCERNING PERMIAN LODGING MIDLAND	§	TEXAS COMMISSION ON
LLC	8	
RN107150658	§	ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

## AGREED ORDER DOCKET NO. 2019-1122-PWS-E

On	, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality ("the
Commission" or "TC	EQ") considered this agreement of the parties, resolving an enforcement
	RMIAN LODGING MIDLAND LLC (the "Respondent") under the authority
of Tex. Health & Sa	FETY CODE ch. 341 and TEX. WATER CODE ch. 5. The Executive Director of
	he Enforcement Division, and the Respondent presented this Order to the
Commission.	•

The Respondent understands that it has certain procedural rights at certain points in the enforcement process, including the right to formal notice of violations, notice of an evidentiary hearing, the right to an evidentiary hearing, and a right to appeal. By entering into this Order, the Respondent agrees to waive all notice and procedural rights.

It is further understood and agreed that this Order represents the complete and fully-integrated agreement of the parties. The provisions of this Order are deemed severable and, if a court of competent jurisdiction or other appropriate authority deems any provision of this Order unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall be valid and enforceable. The duties and responsibilities imposed by this Order are binding upon the Respondent.

The Commission makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law:

## I. FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The Respondent owns and operates a public water supply located at 2801 South County Road 1180 near Midland, Midland County, Texas (the "Facility"). The Facility provides water for human consumption, has approximately 700 service connections, and serves at least 25 people per day for at least 60 days per year. As such, the Facility is a public water system as defined in 30 Tex. Admin. Code § 290.38(71).
- 2. During a record review conducted on July 25, 2019, an investigator documented that the Respondent did not submit well completion data for review and approval prior to placing the Facility's three public drinking water wells into service. Specifically, letters dated October 5, 2015, and April 10, 2019 informed the Respondent that the TCEQ was unable to approve the wells and requested additional documentation for review and approval. However, no documentation was received.

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3. During a record review conducted on July 29, 2019, an investigator documented that the Respondent did not pay annual Public Health Service fees and/or associated late fees for TCEQ Financial Administration Account No. 91650147 for Fiscal Year 2019.

## II. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. As evidenced by Finding of Fact No. 1, the Respondent is subject to the jurisdiction of the TCEQ pursuant to Tex. Health & Safety Code ch. 341, Tex. Water Code ch. 5, and the rules of the TCEQ.
- As evidenced by Finding of Fact No. 2, the Respondent failed to submit well completion data for review and approval prior to placing the Facility's three public drinking water wells into service, in violation of 30 Tex. ADMIN. CODE § 290.41(c)(3)(A).
- 3. As evidenced by Finding of Fact No. 3, the Respondent failed to pay annual Public Health Service fees and/or associated late fees, in violation of 30 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 290.51(a)(6) and TEX. WATER CODE § 5.702.
- 4. Pursuant to Tex. Health & Safety Code § 341.049(a), the TCEQ has the authority to assess an administrative penalty against the Respondent for violations of state statutes within the TCEQ's jurisdiction, for violations of rules adopted under such statutes, or for violations of orders or permits issued under such statutes.
- An administrative penalty in the amount of \$172 is justified by the facts recited in this Order, and considered in light of the factors set forth in TEX. HEALTH & SAFETY CODE § 341.049(b). The Respondent paid the \$172 penalty.

## III. ORDERING PROVISIONS

NOW, THEREFORE, THE TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ORDERS that:

1. The Respondent is assessed a penalty as set forth in Conclusion of Law No. 5 for violations of state statutes and rules of the TCEQ. The payment of this penalty and the Respondent's compliance with all the requirements set forth in this Order resolve only the matters set forth by this Order in this action. The Commission shall not be constrained in any manner from requiring corrective actions or penalties for violations that are not raised here. Penalty payments shall be made payable to "TCEQ" and shall be sent with the notation "Re: PERMIAN LODGING MIDLAND LLC, Docket No. 2019-1122-PWS-E" to:

Financial Administration Division, Revenue Operations Section Attention: Cashier's Office, MC 214 Texas Commission on Environmental Quality P.O. Box 13088 Austin, Texas 78711-3088

- 2. The Respondent shall undertake the following technical requirements:
  - a. Within 30 days after the effective date of this Order, submit payment for all outstanding fees, interest, and penalties for TCEQ Financial Administration Account No. 91650147. The payment shall be sent with the notation "PERMIAN LODGING MIDLAND LLC, Financial Administration Account No. 91650147" to the address listed in Ordering Provision No. 1.
  - b. Within 180 days after the effective date of this Order, submit well completion data for review and approval for the Facility's three wells, in accordance with 30 Tex. Admin. Code § 290.41. The well completion data shall be submitted to:

Plan Review Team Water Supply Division, MC 159 Texas Commission on Environmental Quality P.O. Box 13087 Austin, Texas 78711-3087

Respond completely and adequately, as determined by the TCEQ, to all requests for information concerning the well completion data within 15 days after the date of such request, or by any other deadline specified by the TCEQ in writing.

- c. Within 195 days after the effective date of this Order, submit written certification as described in Ordering Provision No. 2.e below, and include detailed supporting documentation including photographs, receipts, and/or other records to demonstrate compliance with Ordering Provision No. 2.b.
- d. Within 270 days after the effective date of this Order, obtain approval of the well completion data for the Facility's three wells, in accordance with 30 Tex. ADMIN. CODE § 290.41.
- e. Within 285 days after the effective date of this Order, submit written certification, and include detailed supporting documentation including photographs, receipts, and/or other records to demonstrate compliance with Ordering Provision No. 2.d. The certification shall be signed by the Respondent and shall include the following certification language:

"I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted and all attached documents, and that based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, I believe that the submitted information is true, accurate and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fines and imprisonment for knowing violations."

The certification shall be submitted to:

Order Compliance Team Enforcement Division, MC 149A Texas Commission on Environmental Quality P.O. Box 13087 Austin, Texas 78711-3087

with a copy to:

Water Section Manager Midland Regional Office Texas Commission on Environmental Quality 9900 West IH-20, Suite 100 Midland, Texas 79706

- 3. All relief not expressly granted in this Order is denied.
- 4. The duties and provisions imposed by this Order shall apply to and be binding upon the Respondent. The Respondent is ordered to give notice of this Order to personnel who maintain day-to-day control over the Facility operations referenced in this Order.
- 5. The Executive Director may grant an extension of any deadline in this Order or in any plan, report, or other document submitted pursuant to this Order, upon a written and substantiated showing of good cause. All requests for extensions by the Respondent shall be made in writing to the Executive Director. Extensions are not effective until the Respondent receives written approval from the Executive Director. The determination of what constitutes good cause rests solely with the Executive Director. Extension requests shall be sent to the Order Compliance Team at the address listed above.
- 6. The Executive Director may, without further notice or hearing, refer this matter to the Office of the Attorney General of the State of Texas ("OAG") for further enforcement proceedings if the Executive Director determines that the Respondent has not complied with one or more of the terms in this Order.
- 7. This Order shall terminate five years from its effective date or upon compliance with all the terms and conditions set forth in this Order, whichever is later.
- 8. This Order, issued by the Commission, shall not be admissible against the Respondent in a civil proceeding, unless the proceeding is brought by the OAG to: (1) enforce the terms of this Order; or (2) pursue violations of a statute within the Commission's jurisdiction,

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or of a rule adopted or an order or permit issued by the Commission under such a statute.

- This Order may be executed in separate and multiple counterparts, which together shall 9. constitute a single instrument. Any page of this Order may be copied, scanned, digitized, converted to electronic portable document format ("pdf"), or otherwise reproduced and may be transmitted by digital or electronic transmission, including but not limited to facsimile transmission and electronic mail. Any signature affixed to this Order shall constitute an original signature for all purposes and may be used, filed, substituted, or issued for any purpose for which an original signature could be used. The term "signature" shall include manual signatures and true and accurate reproductions of manual signatures created, executed, endorsed, adopted, or authorized by the person or persons to whom the signatures are attributable. Signatures may be copied or reproduced digitally, electronically, by photocopying, engraving, imprinting, lithographing, electronic mail, facsimile transmission, stamping, or any other means or process which the Executive Director deems acceptable. In this paragraph exclusively, the terms: electronic transmission, owner, person, writing, and written, shall have the meanings assigned to them under TEX. BUS. ORG. CODE § 1.002.
- 10. The effective date of this Order is the date it is signed by the Commission. A copy of this fully executed Order shall be provided to each of the parties.

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# SIGNATURE PAGE

TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

For the Commission	Date
For the Executive Director	H241202U
I, the undersigned, have read and understand the atta the attached Order, and I do agree to the terms and co acknowledge that the TCEQ, in accepting payment for on such representation.	onditions specified therein. I further
I also understand that failure to comply with the Orde and/or failure to timely pay the penalty amount, may	
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In addition, any falsification of any compliance documents of the second	nents may result in criminal prosecution.  ———————————————————————————————————
Name (Printed or typed) Authorized Representative of PERMIAN LODGING MIDLAND LLC	Title MANAGER
$\Box$ If mailing address has changed, please check this	box and provide the new address below: